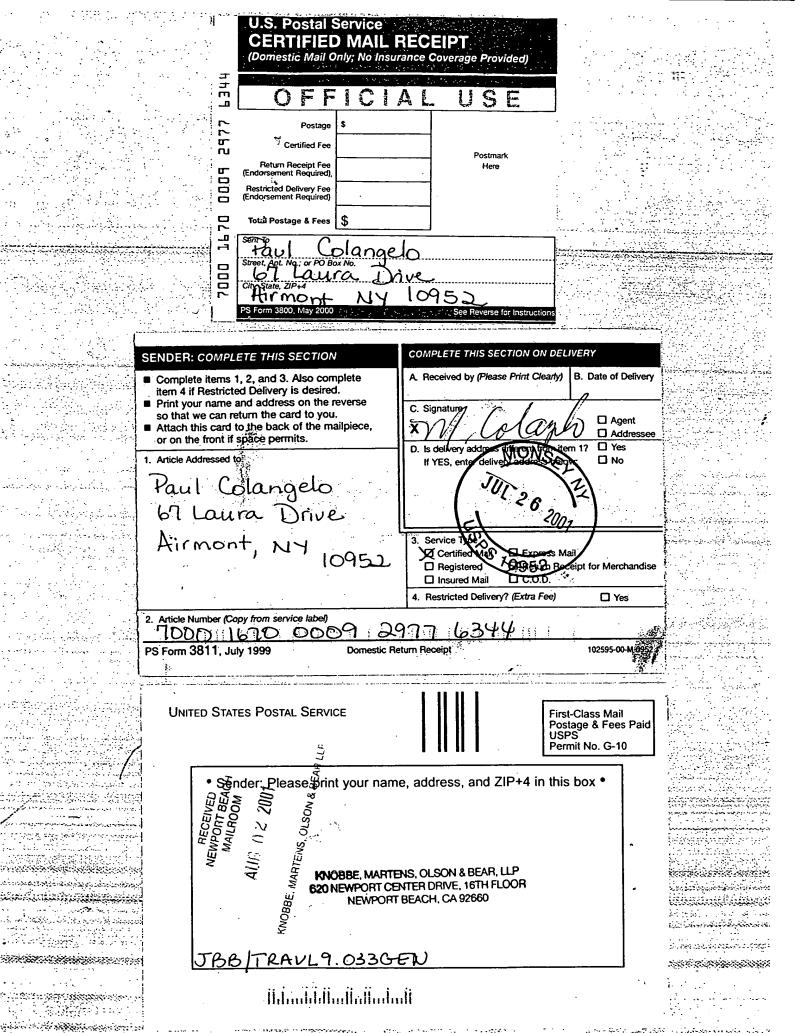
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Re: U.S. Patent Applications filed December 1, 2000

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Dear Paul:

This letter is our final follow-up to our letters dated December 13, 2000 and April 5, 2001 which included a copy of the above-identified patent applications along with copies of the corresponding Declarations and Assignments.

As of this date, we have not received any contact from you regarding the above-referenced matters. Thus, we have no choice but to inform that United States Patent and Trademark Office of your unwillingness to cooperate. Further, we acknowledge that your lack of response to our letters evidences your refusal to sign the Declarations and Assignments. If our understanding is not correct, you must contact us immediately. Otherwise, we have no choice but to file the formal documents for the above-referenced applications without your signatures.

Very truly yours,

James B. Bear